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In Re application of)
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Application No. : 10/511,444) Ex.: Marissa L. Ferguson
Filed : October 26, 2004)
For : CYLINDER AND DEVICE FOR)
GUIDING A MATERIAL WEB)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of August 23, 2006 in the subject U.S. patent application, applicant elects to prosecute in this application, the invention or group of inventions identified by the Examiner as Group I, claims 31-43. Applicant expressly reserves the right to file one or more divisional patent applications directed to the inventions or groups of inventions not selected for prosecution in this application.